LIST OF APPOINTMENTS MADE

Dr. Naylor Succeeds Dr. Clark in This District

AS THE PRESIDING ELDER

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star. HAGERSTOWN, Md., April 3 .- The Baltimore annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in session in liagerstown since last Wednesday morning, came to a close shortly before 1 o'clock this afternoon, when Bishop Cranston announced the list of appointments for the next conference year. The number of changes was larger than for a number of

One of the most important changes nade was the appointment of Dr. H. R. Naylor, pastor of McKendree Church, Washington, as presiding elder, of the Washington district, to succeed Dr. Lucien Clark, Bishop Cranston announced that the latter was relieved from the duties of presiding elder at his own request. Dr. Clark was assigned to the Hamline Church.

Washington District Appointments. Following are the appointments: Washington district, H. R. Naylor, presiding elder: Brookland, J. H. Hyatt; Congress Heights, to be supplied; Forestville, A. E. Spfelman; Gaithersburg, C. J. Price; Kensington, C. S. Biggs; Lanhams, W. H. Dell; Laytonsville, J. H. Marsh; Leonardtown, to be supplied: Montgomery, E. E. Marshall: Piney Grove, to be supplied: St. Mary's, J. E. F. Gray: Severn, E. Buhrman; Spencerville, H. P. West: Tenleytown, H. E. R. Reck; Washington, D. C., Ana-C. O. Isaac; Douglas Memorial, M Hartsock; Dumbarton Avenue, F. H. Havenner; Foundry, L. B. Wilson; Gorsuch, T. E. Copes; Grace, J. E. Smith; Hamline, Lucien Clark; McKendree, E. L. Hubbard; Metropolitan, F. M. Bristol; North Capitol, J. E. Amos; Northwest, to be supplied; Ryland, A. Bielaski; St. Paul's, S. L. Bryant; Trinity, J. C. Nicholson; Union, Page Milburn; Waugh, G. E. Maydwell; Wesley, J. F. Heisse, J. W. Steele; Wilson Memorial, A. H. Thompson; Woodside, W. D. Parry; A. H. Ames, super-intendent Lucy Webb Hayes Deaconess

H. Corey, lecturer on ethics in Dickinson College, member of Metropolitan quarterly Appointments in Baltimore District. Baltimore district-C. H. Richardson, presiding elder; Annapolis, First Church, W. W. Van Arsdale; Maryland Avenue, T. E. Peters; Annapolis circuit, to be supplied; Baldwin Memorial, James McLaren, Baltimore: Bennett Memorial, J. W. H. Beale; city station, First Church, Hugh Johnston; city station, Oxford, C. D. Smith; Eutaw Street, Ingram Chapel, U. S. A. Havenner; Eutaw Street Mute Mission, D. E. Moylan; Fort Avenue, D. R. Winstead; Grace, Hampden, W. E. Curley; Gullford Avenue, E. J. Eldridge; Madison Avenue, E. B. Patterson; Mount Vernon, D. G. Miller; Mount Vernon Place, to be supplied; Patternson Memorial Mission, W. M. Sheers; Roland Avenue, Joseph P. Wilson; Roland Park, H. M. Rider; South Baltimore, W. M. Ferguson; Strawbridge, C. E. Guthrie and O. A. Brown; Twenty-fourth Street, J. L. Mc-Lain; Wesley Chapel, R. L. Wright; Wood-berry, C. W. Hobbs. A. Brown.
A. Brown.
A. Brown.
B. Brown.
B. G. W. Hobbs.
Baltimore circuit:
B. F. Devries and G. F. Stiles; Calvert. R.
Children's day. \$1,436; Bible Society. \$1,287;
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. \$12. Hammersly; Magothy and Mount Carmel, J. R. Pardew; Mount Washington, W. A. Koontz; Reisterstown, J. R. Wheeler; Smithville, J. E. James; Solomon's, V. A. Loinier; South River, M. L. Beall; Swindell

member Hamline quarterly conference; G.

dependent), G. L. Pate. J. F. Goucher, president Woman's College, member City Station quarterly con-J. B. Van Meter, professor Woman's College, member of Mount Vernon Place quarterly conference.
F. J. Wagner, president Morgan College.

Memorial, Henry Nice; West River, H. R.

Savage and W. C. Warden; St. John's (in-

member of Roland Park quarterly confer-H. H. Clark, chaplain in the United States navy, member of Annapolis quarterly con-

S. R. Murray, agent twentieth century thank offering fund, member of City Sta-tion quarterly conference. L. T. Wideman, agent Bible Society. Joseph Dawson was left without appoint-ment to attend school ment to attend school.

East Baltimore District. East Baltimore district, H. I. France,

presiding elder-Aberdeen, R. W. H. Weech; Baltimore, Appold, John Edwards; Bohemian Mission, F. D. Chada; Boundary Avenue, W. W. Costin; Broadway, W. L. McDowell; Canton Street, W. E. Bird; Caroline Street, W. G. Herbert; Chester Street, J. T. Hart; East Baltimore, R. M. Moore; Exeter Street, J. R. Wood; Green-mount, S. M. Alford; Hartford Avenue, J. St. Clair Neal; Highland Avenue, L. E. Bennett; Homestead, W. G. McNeill; Jefferson Street, E. D. Huntley; Madison Square, J. M. Slarrow; Montford Avenue, Osborne Belt; North Avenue, W. F. Roberts; North Baltimore, J. O. Wrightson; Waverly, J. L. Valsh; Belair, F. A. Kilmon; Darlington, C. D. Taylor; East Harford, R. S. Barnes; Govanstown, G. W. Evans; Great Falls, L. M. Ferguson. Sup.-Harford, G. R. Senner; Havre De Grace, Edward Hayes; Hereford, C. T. Weede and R. N. Edwards; Long Green, Solomon German; Lutherville, D. H. Martie; Monkton, J. T. Marsh and R. G. Coontz; North Harford, K. G. Murray; Parktapsco station, E. C. Gallaher; Sparrow's Point, W. C. Babcock and one to be sup-plied: Towson, J. R. Edwards; West Harford, W. W. Davis and L. W. Gosnell, su-pernumerary; G. W. Heyde, chaplain Seamen's Union, Bethel, member of Broadway

quarterly conference. The Frederick District.

W. I. McKenney, presiding elder; Barton, H. Boggs, Berkeley Springs, W. Va., W. D. Beall; Berkeley circuit, W. Va., to be sup-Gill; Grace, T. S. Long; Kingsley, A.H. Zimmerman; Elk Garden, W. Va., J. I. Wringer; Ellerslie, J. A. Gross; Flintstone, to be supplied; Frederick, E. S. Todd; Frostburg, W. R. Sumwalt; Frostburg circuit, C. H. agner: supernumerary, C. E. Dutton; Wagner; supernumerary, C. E. Dutton; Grant, W. Va., to be supplied; Hagerstown t. Paul's, H. F. Downs; Washington quare, W. C. Bryan; Hagerstown circuit, to be supplied; Hancock, to be supplied; Harper's Ferry, W. Va., to be supplied; Hedgesville, to be supplied; Hedgesville, to be supplied; Hyndman, Pa., H. C. Smith; Keyser, W. Va., L. A. Thirlkeld; Lonaconing, C. A. Jones; Martinskeld; Lonaconing, C. A. Jones; Martins-burg, W. Va., W. W. Barnes; Middletown, P. C. Edwards; Mount Savage, Wilson Thomas; Oldtown, to be supplied; Paw Paw, W. a., C. M. Yost; Pledmont, W. Va., E. T. lowbray; Rawlings, C. F. Bond; Romney, when the supplied: Shepherdstown, W. W. Va., to be supplied; Shepherdstown, W. Va., W. I. Dice; Shockeysville, Va., to be supplied; Union Grove, Wm. A. Anthony F. G. Watson; Williamsport, E. H. Winchester, Va., T. M. West.

West Baltimore District. C. W. Baldwin, presiding elder; Arfington, E. H. Lamar; Baltimore, Bethany, H. D. Mitchell: Chatsworth, James P. Wilson Columbia Avenue, A. F. Campbell; David Rogers Mission, to be supplied; Emory S. W. Grafflin; Fayette Street, J. R. Stitt; Franklin Street, F. G. Por-ter; Fuiton Avenue, L. M. Bennett; Garrett Park, W. J. Meeks; Grace, D. S. Colt; Harlem Park, E. L. Watson; Memorial, C. T. House; Monroe Street, W. Rogers; Sumerfield, V. N. Ridgeley; Union Square, G. Bacon; Walbrook Park, D. A. Foard; West Baltimore, G. W. Miller; Carrollton, A. E. Slagle; Catonsville, J. P. Wright; Elkridge, G. C. Harris; Ellicott City, Thomas Woods; Hampstead, D. M. Browning and one to be supplied; Laurel, Watson Case; Liberty, to be supplied; Linganore, B. F. Clarkson; Mt. Alrey, O. C. Marriott; New Windsor, Reuben Kolb; Patapsco, W.

two to be supplied; Savage and Guilford, H. M. Courtney; Summerfield, L. M. Chambers; Thurmont, W.-L. Orem; Union Ridge, to be supplied; West Falls, C. E. Dudrear and J. E. Met-ITS WORK FINISHED tee; Westminster, J. A. Price.

> Professorships Filled. John Lanahan, agent Book Depositary, member of Grace quarterly conference; L. T. Townsend, professor, Gammon Theological Seminary, member West Baltimore quarterly conference.

C. E. Young, professor in Morgan College, member Harlem Park quarterly con U. S. Wright, left without appointment, to attend some one of the schools, member Bethany quarterly conference.

At an executive session of the conference this morning a resolution was adopted di-recting the board of examiners not to re-ceive certificates in the English branches from colleges or universities. In these branches candidates for admission to the conference must pass the con-ference examination. In other branches certificates from educational institutions in-

dorsed by the conference will be recognized. Secretary W. W. Barnes read the report of the board of stewards, which was adopted after minor changes had been made. Dr. L. T. Widerman delivered a five-min-

ute address in the interest of the woman's college, Baltimore. He urged an endowment fund for the college.

Business Sessions Yesterday.

Three long business sessions of the conference were held yesterday, the one in the afternoon and the one in the evening being devoted in a large measure to the hearing of reports of committees and such other matters as could be properly considered in the absence of Bishop Cranston, whose time and attention were consumed by other matters. Dr. J. A. Price of Westminster was the temporary presiding officer at both the afternoon and evening sessions.

The first business transacted at the after-

neon session was to order the transfer of the Wilson Memorial Church, Washington, to the local board of trustees. This was followed by the reading of the report of the board of conference trustees. The report of the educational board was read by Secretary Herbert, but owing to the voluminous character of the report it was ordered abridged to 800 words. The report dealt largely with the Woman's College, Baltimore, but also touched on the American University and other institutions.
Rev. G. W. Hobbs submitted a report of the book depository and Baltimore Metho-dist. The report recommended that Dr.

Lanahan be continued as the agent for the depository and that the present corps of editors of the Baltimore Methodist be These directors of the book depository were elected: William J. Hooper, J. R. Dorsey, C. J. Taylor, John F. Goucher and James Hooper.

The reports of the following committees

were read and approved with little discus-sion: Epworth League, temperance and prohibition, church insurance, church benevolences, sustentation, Bible and Sabbath, etc.

The evening session opened prayer by Rev. Page Milburn of Washington. The Home and Training School, member of Metropolitan quarterly conference; W. G. Cassard, chaplain United States navy, most important action taken at the evening session was the selection of a place for meeting next year. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. F. A. Kilmon, a cordial invitation was extended to the conference to meet next year in Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Baltimore, by Dr. J. St. Clair Neal. This invitation was unanimously accepted. A resolution was adopted requesting the board of bishops to fix the first Wednesday in April as the date of meeting.

Report on Church Extension.

The report on church extension was taken up and adopted after being discussed by Dr. Lanahan, Rev. James Wilson and others. The report of the book committee was presented by Rev. B. F. Devries, the summary being read.

Dr. Reed, president of Dickinson College, addressed the conference in the interest of that institution. He said there were 475 students enrolled at present. C. E. Guthrie, the conference treasurer,

read his report, which showed collections for missions during the year to be \$38,576; for church extension, \$2,805; Sunday School Union, \$467; Tract Society, \$450; Freed-man's Aid Society, \$2,103; education, \$1,081; \$13,761; conference claimants, \$6,468; epis copal, \$2,363; sustentation, \$3,433; total amount of all collections, \$87,537. The report was adopted in its entirety.

Treasurer Guthrie tendered his resigna-

tion, and it was accepted. The conference elected as a successor to Dr. Guthrie the Rev. Edward Hayes of Havre de Grace.

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION.

J. M. Langley Testifies as to Railroad Rates in the South. Mr. J. M. Langley, representing the New York Merchants' Association, was today before the industrial commission and testifled concerning railroad rates in the south. which, he complained, had been raised in many instances since January, 1900. The association represented by Mr. Langley has 1,300 "direct" members and 3,000 associate members. Mr. Langley said the giving of lower rates on part carloads than on carloads frequently caused an injustice to shippers. He recognized the business reason for making a railroad rate less than the rate for part carload, but complained that the difference between these two classes of transportation was not estabunder different conditions. He said that life insurance companies are able to estab lish rates providing for various risks and contingencies, and he thought railroad companies should establish a regular system of difference in charges which should guide them, instead of arbitrarily fixing such rates in each case. He thought the difference in the cost of hauling carload and part carload lots of goods was not so great as provided for in the freight rates. He promised later to furnish the commis-

MANY DRUNKEN SOLDIERS.

sion evidence to demonstrate the justice of

Cheap Saloons Established Outside the Presidio.

Reports received at the War Department from the Presidio of San Francisco show that the troops at that post have become somewhat demoralized by the abolition of the army canteen. A long line of cheap saloons has been established outside of the gates of the Presidio and they are constantly filled with soldiers from the reservation, who, it is said, go there because they have no canteen of their own. "There are," says one account, "five hun-

about four hundred are drunk. They cluster at the wet bars, lie along the benches, stand in bunches on the sidewalk and some sit on the curbstone, with their feet in the gutter."

Capt. F. D. Evans of the 18th Infantry is quoted as having said that the abolition of the canteen has increased the percent-age of misconduct among the soldiers stationed at the Presidio at the rate of from 200 to 300 per cent.

THORNTON TRIES AGAIN.

Trial Stopped Yesterday by Accident

to Machinery. Captain Hemphill of the naval trial board has telegraphed the Navy Department from Annapolis that the attempt to run the torpedo boat Thornton for two hours over her trial course yesterday was a failure, owing to a slight accident to her machinery.

Captain Hemphill also telegraphed: "Shu Will have two hours' trial of the Thornton today if the weather permits."

It is inferred from this telegram that the

accident which interrupted the Thornton's trial yesterday was trivial, else she would not be ready for trial today. A later dispatch received at the navigation bureau stated that the Thornton had gone out with the Gloucester to the Barren Island course to make a second attempt to com-plete a two hours' trial. If she succeeds today the Shubrick will be put through her paces immediately afterward.

A second explosion of a thirteen-inch shell in the bore of a naval gun is having the effect to cause some anxiety as to the safety of that type of ammunition. This time the accident happened aboard the Kentucky. The ordnance officers are very reluctant to talk about these mishaps, but New Windsor, Reuben Kolb; Patapsco, W. assert that in this case the projectile burst der, and house 1122 16th street northwest M. Harris and one to be supplied; Relay, just as it left the gun, doing little damage. for \$7,700 to J. B. Wimer.

HOSTILE TO BRYAN

Effect of the Mayoralty Election in St. Louis.

CONSERVATIVE ELEMENT STRONGER

Nebraska Leader at a Disadvantage as Editor.

TWO EARLY CANDIDATES

The election of Wells to be mayor of St Louis is looked upon as a direct slap at W. J. Bryan. Wells firmly refused to support Bryan as the democratic candidate for President, and Bryan's paper, the Commoner, protested against Wells as a democratic candidate for mayor, describing him as a republican. The election of Wells, notwithstanding his being repudiated and opposed by Bryan, is regarded as the manifestation of a sentiment in St. Louis, if not in the whole state of Missouri, hostile to Bryan.

This is not the first indication of a "eactionary tendency in that state, and, per- with college and school authorities, and to haps, very generally through the south and southwest. The anti-Bryan sentiment in St. Louis is not a new thing, but that it should be strong enough to nominate and tion of its case tomorrow morning. elect a candidate in the face of the active opposition of the Bryan people is accepted as a clear indication that the opposition to Bryan is not declining in strength. The enthusiastic demonstration over Hill

tion was very largely contributed to by local sentiment, and it is regarded as evi-dent that the friends of Hill have not neglected to avail themselves of this to gin the work of getting control of the party organization in the state.

Group of Doubtful States.

Missouri is regarded as good missionary ground for work of this sort, as it is rapidly drifting toward the group of doubtful states, and on account of the development of business enterprises, is becoming conservative in sentiment.

It is regarded as not at all improbable that the election of Wells will greatly strengthen the conservative element of the democracy in Missouri, while the opposition of Bryan to the successful candidate will arouse antagonisms toward the Ne-braska leader which did not before exist, state of Missouri may be represented at the next democratic national convention by men who will not test the availability of a presidential candidate by the question of whether he belongs to the school of polities which dominated the party in 1896 The successful movement to break away

from Bryan influences in St. Louis will, it is believed, encourage similar movement in other quarters. The present democratic organization must be overturned in order to place the conservative harmony element in control four years from now, and the means by which this will be accomplished. if at all, will be obtained through getting control of local organizations at municipal elections, and each success in this direc tion is likely to contribute to further suc-

A few conspicuous demonstrations that Bryan can be defied without great disaster resulting to the party are likely to give energy to the movement, and beginning thus early those who want to "harmonize" the party feel that there will be abundant opportunity within the next three years to put themselves in shape for a final strug-

Looking to 1904.

The general acceptance of the idea that Bryan will not again be a candidate and of the fire department will be awarded to the expectation by nearly all classes of local firms, and not to non-resident firms, play no part in the next presidential campaign is counted on to be to the advantage of those who insist upon having the factional differences of the last two campaigns ignored in the selection of candidates and and summer uniforms will be made with the conduct of campaigns in the future. It is felt, too, that the problem will be simplified by a multiplicity of candidates and those who hope to become candidates efore the 1904 convention. It is very hopes for Bryan's elimination that the issues of the next presidential campaign are to be developed in the future, and that. from present indications, they are likely to be such as to unite the whole party, the

old, disturbing issues being laid aside, for the time, at least, and that it would be but poor politics to jeopardize success for new issues by keeping fresh the memories of disagreements as to those dead and past The opponents of Bryan think they have him at a disadvantage in his capacity of editor. As a defeated candidate, retired to private life, he would not be called upon to give public expression to every political lighting his pipe accidentally ignited his emotion he might feel, while, as editor, giving expression to his thoughts every week on every topic that presents itself he is likely not only to arouse antagonisms but to be in the attitude of keeping alive matters of controversy of which the public may for the time be weary.

Contentions too small for him to become

involved in as a distinguished party lead-er he must feel impelled to discuss as editor, and he is so situated that he canno separate the party leader from the editor. What the editor must do may be resented as meddlesome in the leader, whom the public will hold responsible for the editor without discrimination as to the two func

Two Probable Candidates. The election of Carter Harrison for a

third term as mayor of Chicago is well in health, when his shocking fate overtook understood to be preliminary to his entering as a candidate for the democratic presidential nomination in 1904. Neither he nor Tom Johnson, who is expected to appear as a candidate, are devoted to the cause which Bryan represents in the way that is Bryan himself.

The tendency of their candidacy will be to obliterate differences existing in the last campaigns in so much as the interests of the individual candidates may be served by the obliteration, and it is calculated that a well organized "harmony" element of by hard work from this time forward, together with the indifference to past contentions which will arise from the striv ings of several candidates, will place the national convention in a state of confusion, which will make it indifferent to the prin-ciples for which Bryan is contending and reduce the contest to a "free for all." declaration of principles drawn for win-

ning purposes
The element of the party represented, perhaps, most conspicuously by Hill and Gorman, find a good deal of encouragement for their designs in the situation as it is

Training School Incorporated. Articles of incorporation of the National Kindergarten Training School were placed on record today. The stated object of the corporation is to establish a school or

schools for the training of kindergarten teachers. Arthur A. Birney, Phoebe A. Hearst, Clara R. Anthony, Anna E. Mur-ray and Lucy E. Moten, M.D., are the in-Boy Preacher's Appointments. The worshippers at the Mission Tabernacle, 214 and 216 414 street, have arranged for a sermon to be delivered this evening by Lonnie Dennis, the boy preacher. The services will begin at 8 o'clock.

D'Oyly Carte is Dead LONDON, April 3.-D'Oyly Carte, the theatrical manager and impressario, died today. He had been an invalid for a long time, but he nevertheless closely attended to the business of the theater.

the heart, which was aggravated by the shock he sustained in the death of Sir Arthur Sullivan. He was in a comatose state yesterday, but rallied before the end. Sales of Realty. Duncanson Bros., auctioneers, sold yesterday at public sale house 1706 Q street northwest for \$9,075 to T. F. Schnei-

He had long suffered from weakness of

Bass, indicted for violation of section 5480, Revised Statutes of the United States— using the mails for alleged fraudulent pur-

In effect their statements were that they have known nothing of the existence of

the agency of bureau conducted by Mr.

Bass. Mr. Serven was examined at length

relative to the methods of the civil service

bureau, the effort of the government being to show, it possible, that the assertions of

the defendant in reference to preparing pu-

pils to pass the civil service examinations

At the hearing yesterday afternoon Mrs. Sara A. Spencer, Dr. F. R. Lane, director

of the Washington High School, and Mr.

Jesse H. Wilson, who was a member of the former board of school trustees, ap-

peared as witnesses for the government. In substance their testimony was that as

educators they knew nothing of the exist-ence of the Union Teachers' Agency, con-

ducted by the defendant, until very re-

It has been stated during the trial that the defendant claimed to be in close touch

be able to obtain places for those who

close and the defense begin the presenta-

AS ADJUTANT GENERALS.

Assignment of Officers by the War

Department.

lowing assignment of officers of the ad-

jutant general's department, the officers

mentioned having previously been serving

as assistant adjutant generals and now

being directed to serve as adjutant gen-

Major James T. Kerr to headquarters.

division of the Philippines; Major John G.

Ballance to the department of northern

Luzon, Lieutenant Colonel Arthur L. Wag-

ner to the department of southern Luzon.

Major Charles J. Crane to the department

of the Visayas, Major Samuel W. Foun-

tain to the department of Mindanao and Jolo, Major Louis V. Caziarc to the depart-

Maj. Edward J. McClernand, to the De-

partment of the Missouri; Maj. Alfred C. Charpe, to the Department of Colorado; Maj. Sydney W. Taylor, to the Department of the Columbia, and Maj. Wilber E. Wil-

WILL VISIT WASHINGTON.

French Naval Cadets Coming to This

City Next Week.

The presence of the French naval cadets

in American waters on board the practice

ship Dugnay Trouin is to be the occasion

for a pleasant exchange of international

courtesies. The cadets will come to Wash-

ington some time next week, probably

Thursday. Secretary Long has placed at

their disposal the United States auxiliary

yacht Sylph, for the purpose of letting

them make a pilgumage to Mount Vernon.

where the young French officers will do

honor to Washington, who, with Lafayette

CONTRACTS TO LOCAL FIRMS.

Firemen's Uniforms to Be Furnished

by Washington Merchants.

ment. The committee, composed of Assist-

ant Chiefs W. T. Belt, J. D. Kurtz and F.

J. Wagner, have examined the bids and

submitted a report. Contracts for dress

the Cherry-Moran Company. The price to

be paid for the dress uniforms is \$13.25

each. John R. Peake, 1421 New York ave-

nue northwest, will furnish fatigue caps

at \$1.05 each, while chambrey shirts will

be furnished by Joseph Auerbach of 623

BURNED TO DEATH.

Shocking End of Henry Clay Borden

Mr. Henry Clay Borden, formerly of this

city, was burned to death last Saturday

in the Masonic Home at Springfield, Ohio.

Mr. Borden was sitting in a chair and while

clothing. Before the flames could be ex-

tinguished he had received burns which re-

sulted fatally. Mr. Borden was originally

a resident of Cincinnati and a leading citi-

zen of that enterprising community. He

served several terms in the Ohio legisla-

ture and was a member of the body that

first elected John Sherman to the Senate.

He came to Washington about thirty years ago and was employed in the internal reve-

nue bureau for a number of years. Afterward he was associated with Mr. Charles

ASKS FOR A DECREE.

Proceedings Instituted With Refer-

afternoon by Charles C. Duncanson

through Attorney William F. Mattingly

against Henry O. Towles and his wife and

Mahlon Ashford and Roger T. Mitchell.

The court is asked to decree the fore-

the two latter in their capacity as trustees.

closing of a deed of trust to secure the

complainant, by a sale of lot 117, square

375, bounded by 9th and 10th, G and H

streets, and part of lot 4, square 292,

bounded by 12th and 13th streets, D street

and Pennsylvania avenue, and that the

amount due the complainant be paid out of

the proceeds of the sale. It is further

asked that, prior to the sale desired, a re-

ceiver be appointed to control the property.

plained, was given to secure the payment

of the following described promissory notes of Gilbert B. Towes as maker, each to the

terest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum— one dated April 13, 1899, at three months, for \$1,000, indered by Zenas C. Robbins, Henry O. Towles and Edmund Brand; one

dated May 18, 1899, at two months, for \$500, indorsed by Zenas C. Robbins, Henry O. Towles, Gaser B. Towles and Edmund

One dated June 1 1899, at three months for \$2,200, indorsed by Zenas C. Robbins, Henry O. Towles and C. C. Bryan; one dated July 29, 1999, at forty days for \$1,000, indorsed by Zenas C. Robbins, Henry O. Towles and one

O. Towles and Giffert B. Towles, and one dated August 9, 1899, at one month for \$1,500, indorsed by Zenas C. Robbins, Henry O. Towles, Gibert B. Towles and C. C.

Bryan; and also one other note of Henry O. Towles as maker, dated September 30, 1809, at three months for \$1,200, to the order of C. C. Bryan, indorsed by C. C. Bryan and Gilbert B. Towles,

New President of the Reading.

PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—The board of

lirectors of the Reading company, at a

meeting this afternoon, accepted the resig-

nation of President Joseph S. Harris and elected George F. Baer to succeed him. President Harris will remain with the company in an executive position.

Wife Asks for Divorce.

Proceedings for divorce were instituted

this afternoon by Annie Keys, through At-

torney Thos. L. Jones, against Henry Keys.

Proceedings in equity were instituted this

ence to Foreclosure of Deed.

at Springfield, Ohio.

for these is 50 cents each.

Pennsylvania avenue. The price to be paid

The contracts for uniforms for members

was the case with the police depart-

der, to the Department of Dakota

The War Department has made the fol-

It is expected that the government will

were not carried out.

patronized his agency.

as Witnesses Today. Mr. John W. Ross of the board of Com-missioners of the District of Columbia; Mr. William T. Harris, commissioner of educa-tion; Mr. Charles B. Young, principal of Emerson Institute, and Mr. A. R. Serven of the civil service bureau were the wit-nesses called by the government who tes-tified today in connection with the trial in

JONES ON THE STAND Commissioner, Ross and Others Called

> W. M. Rice's Valet Coolly Confesses Murdering His Employer.

INSTIGATED BY LAWYER PATRICK Criminal Court No. 1 of Rev. Liston D.

> They Deliberately Put the Aged Millionaire to Death.

WANTED HIS MONEY

NEW YORK, April 3.-Charles F. Jones.

the valet-secretary of William Marsh Rice,

the rich Texan, resumed the giving of testimony today in the proceedings against Albert T. Patrick, who is charged with causing Rice's death in order to obtain his property by means of a will, deeds and checks which it is alleged were forged. Jones began today by relating that on Monday, the day following Rice's death, four men who represented themselves to be lawyers called at the flat and asked questions concerning the circumstances surrounding the death. Jones told Patrick he thought these men were detectives. The next morning Jones went to police headquarters. When he returned he found a number of detectives in the place. On Tuesday afternoon he was taken to police headquarters, where he was questioned. He found Patrick also at police headquar-

Patrick told Jones he had destroyed the will witnessed in his (Patrick's) office and a number of bogus letters written on the will matter. On this occasion, Jones testifled, Patrick asked when Rice had last been given mercury. "I told him on Thursday," Jones said,

"Patrick then told me that there would not be any traces of that left in the system at the time of the autopsy, and that the em-balming fluid would kill all traces of the oxalic acid, which was a vegetable poison." Talk With Dr. Curry.

Witness then told of Dr. Curry having come to the apartments on Tuesday, where he met Patrick. The two had a long talk, which Jones did not hear. The so-called Patrick will was then brought up. Jones said he had told Patrick that the provisions for Rice's relatives in the will which was destroyed on the day following Rice's death were too small, and that it would be impos-sible to get it probated. Patrick, Jones said, then had the so-called "Patrick will" The witness related at length the inci-

dents of the day when the body of Rice was cremated. While the testimony about the will was being given Captain Baker of Texas, who was an executor of the 1896 will, entered the trial room. He carried a bundle of papers and some typewritten matter and said he might be called as a witness. From the events of the day on which the oody was cremated Jones passed over to the happenings of October 4, the evening of the day he was arrested.

Jones said he was taken to police head-quarters at about 10 o'clock in the evening and was taken downstairs and locked up an hour later. He said before he was locked up he made a statement which was entirely fictitious and of which was entirely fictitious and of which he could not recall even the most salient features.

Jones then told how Mr. House had been and Rochambeau, created a bond of sym-pathy between America and France at a most vital period in the country's history. appointed lawyer of both Patrick and him-self and the events surrounding their commitment to the Tombs. From here Jones passed to his attempt to commit suicide. The Attempt at Suicide.

"Some time before I tried to commit suicide Mr. House came to me in the Tombs and wanted to know if a murder had been committed. I told him that there had been no murder." Lawyer Moore objected. He said that it

was not a question of privilege, but that where two defendants had the same counself what went on between one defendant and the counsel could not under the laws Mr. Osborne said he did not want any of the conversation between Jones and his counsel and asked the former to confine himself exclusively to any conversation that had taken place between himself and Patrick. Justice Jerome allowed the evidence al-

"On the day before the attempt made," said Jones, "Patrick and I had a talk in the reception room at the Tombs Patrick told me his means were exhausted and that they were in desperate straits Patrick wanted me to shoulder the responsibility for the crime. I told him I would not confess unless I could tell a straight story. I said I would rather kill myself on account of the disgrace of the thing.
"Patrick said this might be the best thing for us both, and said he would kill himself.

cell. The knife would do for one, and he would try to get some carbolic acid from "He gave me the knife. I put it in my shoe and took it to my cell. Later Potts called. Patrick told me Potts would not get him the poison. About 4 o'clock in the afternoon, after I had gotten the knife, I sat in my cell writing some letters and preparing for the end. Just then I was called to the district attorney's office. While there I made a confession. I was brought back to my cell in the evening, and at about 4 o'clock in the morning I tried to cut my throat."

Made New Confession.

A. McEuen in the real estate business. Mr. Borden was stricken with paralysis Jones then told of being taken to Belletwo years ago, and by the efforts of Mr. McEuen, Mr. E. B. Hay and other Masonic friends was admitted to the Masonic Home vue and there making a new confession. The new confession is the one on which at Springfield. He was steadily improving his present testimony is based.

Jones explained today what he meant yesterday when he said that Patrick did not wish Rice to live until Monday, as on that day a draft would be payable. The witness said that a week or so before the death of Rice certain oil wells in Texas in which he was interested were destroyed by fire. Rice resolved to rebuild them and bound himself to provide nearly \$200,000 for the

On the strength of this the oil well pe ple drew for \$25,000, the draft being paya-ble on Monday, September 24. Jones testified the payment of this money.
"I said," witness continued, "on Saturday that the old man would probably drop off. Patrick said we could not rely on

that, but had to get him out of the way the next day. A number of telegrams sent by Jones notifying relatives of Rice's death were placed in evidence.

Tells of Plot in Detail. Assistant District Attorney Osborne, in the examination of Jones late yesterday af-

"Jones, will you state all the conversation that took place between you and Patrick in regard to getting Rice out of the way?"
"About the end of August," was the re-

ply, "Patrick asked me whether I had got-ten the laudanum from the drug store at Coney Island. I said I had not, but that I "Patrick then told me to give Bice a cer-I told Patrick I could not do that, but I told him I had some mercurial pills which Dr. Curry gave me. Patrick sald I ought

to give them to Rice. I told Patrick I could not do so without taking them myself in his presence. 'Then do so,' Patrick said; 'it won't do you any harm.'
"I took some of the pills in Rice's pres ence and then left the bottle of pills on the dresser. Rice took some. This weakened him, but after he got over the attack the mercury seemed to do him good."

Jones also said that by the same method he got Rice to take some mercurial tablets which Patrick had given him.

"Would Rice take anything you took?"
"Yes; and he would never take medicine
unless I first took some in his presence.
All medicine that was sent him I had to taste when he saw it." Refusing Dose, Was Chloroformed.

Jones then related what took place on the day of the death of Mr. Rice. "I saw Patrick at his house," said he. "He told me to let him know if Rice grew better. He would then get from his office a bottle of oxalic acid, he said, to quicken Rice's nerve."

Rice got better, and at noon he wanted to get up He talked cheerfully about going down town and seemed much improved. Jones said he could not get Rice to take the exalic acid. He then telephoned to Patrick to meet him at luncheon at a restaurant on 6th avenue near 50th street. "I met him there." Jones continued. "Patrick gave me the bottle of chloroform.

"Patrick gave me the bottle of chloroform. He told me to saturate a towel in chloroform and leave it over his face for about thirty minutes. He said Rice would probably laugh, but that I should not be scared, as that would only show that the poison was beginning to work, and that it would soon be over.

"I did as Patrick told me. I returned home, took a nankin and saturated it with

home, took a napkin and saturated it wit chloroform. I put it on my own face first, and then put it over the face of Mr. Rice and left the room. I walked up and down in the hall several times. The bell rang several times. after about half an hour I went into Mr. Rice's room. I raised the window, took the napkin and towel away from his face and placed them both in the range, where I burned them

I burned them. Both in the range, where I burned them.
"I sent a hall boy for Dr. Curry, telling him that Mr. Rice was very bad. I went to the telephone to tell Patrick that Rice was pretty near gone. When Dr. Curry came Patrick was with him. I told them Rice

"'Dead! Oh, my God, doctor, that is the worst thing that could have happened to me,' said Patrick."

Says Patrick Took Money in Room. Jones testified at length about the postmortem incidents. He said Patrick also took charge of about \$450 in bills and eight or nine dollars in silver from a drawer in the millionaire's writing desk. Jones said Patrick also took away two gold watches and all the private papers of Mr. Rice. Mr. Osborne referred to the assignments transferring the property of Mr. Rice to Patrick, which were executed on September 7. Jones said that on that date he went down to Patrick's office. Together with Meyer they went to see Short. Then all except Patrick went together to the Rice apartments. Jones was handed a deed for identification. He said it was witnessed by Meyer on September 7.
"Did Mr. Rice sign any general assignment on that day?"

"He did not."

The general assignments transferring all shown to Jones, who testified that Rice did ot sign the assignments. He added that two of the papers were those which at Patrick's request he had drawn on his typewriting machine.

DAY FOR THE MUD LARKS. Big Crowd at Benning in Spite of the

Rain. Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

BENNING RACE TRACK, D. C., April 3. -The weather could have hardly been more disagreeable, yet the crowd at the Benning track this afternoon was little smaller than on yesterday, the number of ladies present being surprisingly large.

The track was, of course, a sea of mud yet not holding. The pavilion was crowded and speculation was heavy, all figuring on the mudlarks. At post time, first race, the following had been scratched: By George, Manlius, Monmouth Boy, Back Talk, Diva and Spurs; Frivol in the second, and First Whip in the

Starters in the first race: Midnight Chimes (T. Walsh), 7 to 1; Thermos (F. Wilson), 13 to 1; Frondo (T. Burns), 8 to (Ryan), 40 to 1; Charley Estes
(Ryan), 40 to 1; Tangible (W. O'Connor),
80 to 1; Elsie Skip (Wonderly), 40 to 1;
The Rogue (J. Slack), even; Tony Licalzi
to be done for the shareholders of that (Lyne), 20 to 1; Obey (Wilkerson), 15 to 1; Dandy Boy (W. Daly), 12 to 1.

Entries for Tomorrow. Following are the entries for tomorrow First race, five and one-half furlongs, seven entries - Lexington Pirate, 120; Eloim, 119; Charley Moore, 118; Roysterer, 117; Blarneystone, 117; Scorpio, 116; The Rhymer, 107.

Second race, two-year-olds, four and one-half furlongs, six entries—Doice Far Niente, 107; Carroll D., 107; Ten Hymns, 104; Right Away, 104; Wait a Minute, 101; Miracle Y., 101. Third race, selling, seven furlongs, eight entries—The Burlington Route, 108; Toluca, 103; Sentry, 99; Cherished, 84; Draughts-man, 100; Matt Simpson, 111; Robert Met-

Fourth race, entries close at 4 p.m. to Fifth race, seven furlongs, seven entries-Petrellus, 104; Albert Edward, 100; Isaac, 102; Street Boy, 97; Ginki, 100; Far Sight,

7: Williard J., 97. Sixth race, selling, mile and one hundred yards, five entries-Big Gun, 113; Kirkwood, Knight of the Garter, 110; Charawind, 105: *Draughtsman, 102.

Census Officials in Anne Arundel

INQUIRY EXTENDED.

County Conducting Investigation. Three employes of the census office left Washington this morning for points in Anne Arundel county, Maryland, to assist the clerks who left yesterday in investigating the enumeration returns from that county. In one of the election districts adjacent to Baltimore the population was returned as 9,000, being an increase of 3,900 over the census of 1890. In another election district, with a total population of 5,000, there was an apparent increase of considerably more than one thousand. The officials of the census say that these returns may be correct, but in view of charges of padding and developments in St. Mary's county, the investigation was determined upon. No charges, it was said at the census office today, have been made against the enumeration in Calvert and Howard counties. Representative Mudd called at the census office yesterday afternoon and had a

brief conference with Director Merriam. Major Parker Ordered Here.

Major James Parker, United States Cavalry, has been relieved of his duties as assistant adjutant general in the division of the Philippines, and is ordered to proceed to this city for duty in the office of the adjutant general of the army.

Isabella Anderson, through Attorney E. L. Gles, has petitioned the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia to grant her a divorce from Charles E. Anderson, alleging

Washington Stock Exchange.

Sales—regular call, 12 o'clock m.—Washington Loan and Trust, 10 at 173. Capital Traction, 10 at 104%, 5 at 104%, 2 at 104%. Washington Gas, 25 at 58, 25 at

District of Columbia Bonds,—3.65s, 1924, funding, 122½ bid.

Miscellaneous Bonds.—Capital Traction 4s, 107½ bid. 108 asked. Washington Traction and Electric coll. 4½s, 64½ old, 65 asked. Metropolitan Railroad 5s, 118½ bid, 121 asked. Metropolitan Railroad 5s, 118½ bid, 121 asked. Metropolitan Railroad cert. indebt., A, 106 bid, 107½ asked. Metropolitan Railroad cert. indebt., B, 105½ bid, 107½ asked. Columbia Railroad 6e, 120 bid, 126 asked. Columbia Railroad 5s, 88 bid. Washington Gas tos, series B, 110 bid. U. S. Electric Light deb. Imp. 6s, 106 bid. U. S. Electric Light cert. Indebt., 6s, 103 bid. Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone 5s, 106 bid, 106½ asked. American Security and Trust 4s, 100 bid. Washington Market 1st 6s, 110 bid. 114 asked. Masonic Hall Association 5s, 106½ bid, 108 asked. American Graphophone deb. 5s, 100 bid, 103 asked. American Graphophone deb. 5s, 100 bid, 103 asked. Safe Deposit and Trust Companies.—National Safe Deposit and Trust, 145 bid, 155 asked. Washington Loan and Trust, 172½ bid, 173 asked. American Security and Trust, 125 bid. 232 asked. Washington Security and Trust, 125 bid. 151 asked. Washington Security and Trust, 125 bid. 152 asked. Washington Security and Trust, 125 bid. Central, 220 bid. Farmers and Mechanics', 220 bid. Second, 160 bid. Metropolitan, 725 bid. Central, 220 bid. Farmers and Mechanics', 220 bid. Second, 160 bid. Union Bank Stocks.—Bank of Washington, 410 bid. West End, 119½ bid, 120 asked. Traders', 130 bid. Lincoln, 121 bid, 125 asked.

Railroad Stocks.—Central, 220 bid. Arlington, 29½ bid. 164 asked. German American, 220 bid. National Union, 9 bid. 9½ asked. Columbia, 110 bid. Title Insurance Stocks.—Ereal Estate Title, 83 bid. Title Insurance Stocks.—Chesapeake and Potomac, 74% bid. 76 asked.

Gas Stocks.—Washington Gas, 57½ bid. 58 saked. Georgeover, 468 bid. 64 asked. Washington Title, 83 bid. 648 asked. Georgeover, 648 bid. 64 bid, 76 asked.

Gas Stocks, —Washington Gas, 57% bid, 58 asked.

Georgetown Gas, 60 bid, 64 asked.

Miscellaneous Stocks.—Mergenthaler Linotype, 163
bid, 163% asked. Lanston Monotype, 14% bid, 14%
asked. American Graphophone com, 10% bid, 10%
asked. American Graphophone pref., 11% bid, 12%
asked. Pneumatic Gun Carriage, .08 bid, .10 asked.

Washington Market, 16 bid. Norfolk and Washington Steamboat, 160 bid.

x Ex. dividend.

Big Dealers Continue on Bull Side of Stock Market.

ANOTHER BULGE IN BURLINGTON

Southwestern Group of Railroads Was Also Strong.

GENERAL MARKET REPORTS

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star. NEW YORK, April 3 .- Trading in the, high priced investment issues was the feature of today's stock market. The volume of business was enormous, the total sales to noon being 907,000 shares. Realizing was in progress on a large scale, many

commission houses closing out practically

all of their long stocks.

The delay in getting a reaction has resulted in an increased tension, and stocks . have been sold more from nervousness than from any other cause. The disease has manifested itself almost wholly among the smaller operators.

The larger interests, however, show no signs of faltering, and today's advances in the high-priced specialties show conclusively that the community-of-ownership machinery is working smoothly.

Burlington was advanced something over 6 per cent under buying said to come directly from the inside. If present plans do not miscarry the "deal" will be officially closed over the coming holidays and announced publicly early next week. The movement to make the stock sell at

190 and Northern Pacific common at par is most aggressive. Erie issues were well taken up to new high prices, but the force is less pronounced in these shares. Rock Island was advanced sharply under big dealings, but there was less discussion of the Atchison alliance. The buying, how-ever, indicates that something out of the

ordinary is expected.

Atchison directors met during the day, but transcated merely routine business. The failure to act upon a dividend for the common stock is attributed to a difference of opinion as to the rate. Some di-rectors are said to favor a 2 per cent pay-ment, while others think it better policy to begin with 1½. The matter was left open until the May meeting. The company's earnings are sufficiently large to sanction the higher rate, but a due regard for lean periods would make the smaller payment desirable as a matter of policy.

An advance of 11 per cent in Delaware and Hudson brought out the semi-official

at 7 per cent for the first year and 8 per cent after that date. The stock responded easily to the new buying and brought all the Vanderbilt shares into new promi-

announcement of a lease to New York Cen-tral. The dividends are to be guaranteed

People's Gas was advanced under a mixed demand, and there is less fear of hostile legislation on the part of the Illinois legislature. There are numerous interests friendly to the property who remain unwilling to take anything for granted while that legislative body is in secretor. legislative body is in session.

The Southwestern group was strong, the buying of Texas Pacific being good and

company.

Atchison.

Northern Pacific

very optimistic predictions were made con-cerning Missouri, Kansas and Texas. The market throughout the day was openly manipulated and the advances were made with such a show of force as to preclude short selling. By giving the con-trol of the new steel deal to Mr. Keene

did judgment.
This bear leader is forced to refrain from attacking the general market for fear steel group will break in sympathy. His reputation for holding the steel stocks up is more to be desired than the distinction of forcing the culmination of the ge

the managing syndicate has shown splen-

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

New York Stock Market. Furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., bankers' and brokers, 1419 F st., members New York stock exchange, correspondents Messrs. Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co., New York.

Am. Steel and Wire.pfd... 1125 Am. Steel and Wire.pfd... 1125 American Sugar....... 1403 American Tobacco...... 123 11213 14113 12763 6813 97 9234 92 C. M. and St. Paul..... Chicago, R. I. & Pacific... Chic., St. P., M. & O..... Chic. & G. Western..... Col. Fuel and Iron...
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Con. Tobacco, pfd...
Delaware & Hudson...
Federal Steel. pfd...
General Electric | Federal Steel, pfd. | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | 105% | New Jersey Central..... New York Central..... N.Y. Ontaria & Western... Pennsylvania R. R..... People's Gas
Phila. & Reading, 1st...
Southern Pacific...
Southern Railway... Southern Railway, pfd... Union Pacific. pfd..... U. S. Leather U. S. Leather, pfd... U. S. Rubber malgamated Copper....!

Open. High. Low. Close

Baltimore Markets

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Baltimore, April 3.—Flour dull, unchanged; receipts, 19.598 barrels; exports, 2.527 barrels. Wheat dull and lower; spot and the month, 77a774; May, 774a774; steamer No. 2 red, 74%a75; receipts, 46, 329 bushels; southern by sample, 72a78; do. on grade, 76a78. Corn dull and lower; spot, the month and May, 46%a46%; steamer mixed, 45%a45%; receipts, 176,643 bushels; exports, 42,857 bushels; southern white and yellow corn, 47%a48. Onta steady; No. 2 white, 38a34; No. 2 mixed, 31a314; receipts, 132,081 bushels. Rye dull; No. 2 nearby, 57; No. 2 western, 58; receipts, 704 bushels. Hay firmer; No. 1 timothy, \$17 bid. Grain freights very quiet, unchanged. Butter, eggs, cheese and sugar firm and unchanged.

per cents, coupon.... per cents, registered, 1908-1928.... per cents, coupon, 1908-1928...
per cents, registered, 1907...
per cents, coupon, 1907...
per cents, registered, 1925...
per cents, coupon, 1925...
per cents, registered, 1904...
per cents, coupon, 1904... New York Cotton.

Government receipts from internal reve nue today were \$974,589; customs, \$935,114;

miscellaneous, \$33,857. Expenditures, \$1,-155,000. Virginia Post Office Discontinued. The post office at Jessees Mills, Russell county, Va., was ordered today to be dis-continued on April 15.

Capt. Butler's Assignment. Capt. S. D. Butler of the marine corps ias been ordered to duty at the marine

arracks, navy yard, Philadelphia